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LAST in LINE, But FIRST in IMPORTANCE of REDUCTIONS, WINTER CLEARING SALE OF D. CRAWFORD & CO.

Which Begins in the Morning, and Will Go On With a Rush Until All Winter Goods Are Sold!

FEARFUL REDUCTIONS ON NICE, NEW, FRESH and DESIRABLE GOODS

SILKS.

Note Well Reductions Below:

150 pieces 18-inch Silk Plush in myrtle, bronze, mouse, dark and light brown, sale price, 42¢; regular price, 50¢.

80 pieces 21-inch all silk black Surah, good dye and fine quality, sale price, 50¢; regular price, 55¢.

200 pieces 24-inch colored Silk Plush in a large line of colors, suitable for suits, sale price, 50¢; regular price, \$1.

35 pieces 22-inch pure Silk Black Grosgrain, sale price, 67½¢; regular price, \$1.

15 pieces 22-inch Black Broadened Armure in 4 different designs, elegant for wraps and suits, sale price, 67½¢; regular price, \$1.25.

45 pieces 19-inch Colored Broadened Armure in a large assortment of colors, sale price, 75¢; regular price, \$1.25.

30 pieces 20-inch fancy striped Broadened Satin, the very latest in the market, sale price, 75¢; regular price, \$1.50.

44 pieces fancy striped and Broadened Armure, elegant quality in large assortment of colors, sale price, \$1; regular price, \$2.25.

JUST RECEIVED.

10 pieces 24-inch Scotch Plaids, pure silk, entirely new, in four different designs, Victoria, Royal and black Stuart and Argyle, sale price, \$1.50; worth \$2.50.

CLOAKINGS.

Note Well Reductions Below:

300 yards striped and checked Cloaking, sale price, \$1; reduced from \$2 per yard.

100 Cloakings, Astrakhan, etc., REDUCED IN SAME PROPORTION AS ABOVE ITEM.

Men's Overcoats.

Note Well Reductions Below:

Blue Chinchilla and Mixed Tweed Overcoats, sale price, \$5.25; reduced from \$7.50 and \$10.

BOYS' SUIT DEPARTMENT

Note Well Reductions Below:

Boys' Knee-Pant Suits in checks and fancy mixtures; sale price, \$1.25; reduced from \$2.50.

Boys' Knee-Pant Suits, a variety of patterns, sale price, \$2.50; reduced from \$4.50.

Boys' Overcoats, 4 to 12 years; sale price, \$1.50; reduced from \$2.75.

Boys' Overcoats in fancy checks with cape, sizes 4 to 12 years; sale price, \$2.00; reduced from \$3.75.

Boys' Knee Pants, in brown stripes, sizes 4 to 12 years; sale price, 25¢; reduced from 50¢.

Boys' Knee Pants in checks, stripes and fancy colors; sale price, 45¢; all reduced from 75¢.

600 pair Men's Cassimere Pants in dark, fancy stripes, extra heavy weight; sale price, \$1.10; reduced from \$2.25.

MILLINERY.

Note Well Reductions Below:

Felt Hats, clearing sale price, 10¢; regular price, 65¢.

Felt Hats, clearing sale price, 85¢; regular price, \$1.00.

Felt Hats, clearing sale price, 85¢; regular price, \$1.25.

Trimmed Hats, clearing sale price, \$1.75; regular price, \$3.00.

Children's Plush Caps, clearing sale price, 50¢; regular price, \$1.

Fancy Feathered, clearing sale price, 10¢, 20¢, 30¢; regular price, 25¢, 40¢, 75¢.

Black Plumes, clearing sale price, 10¢; regular price, 15¢.

UMBRELLAS.

Note Well Reductions Below:

26-inch Gloria Silk, gold crook handles on fine sticks; sale price, \$1.35; regular price, \$2.25.

26-inch heavy Twill Silk, Paragon frame, silver crook handles; sale price \$1.50; regular price, \$2.50.

28-inch Austrian Silk, best quality, will not fade, with cases and tassels, silver crook handles; sale price, \$1.75; regular price, \$3.50.

28-inch Pure Silk, Paragon frame with ½ gold caps; sale price, \$2.00; regular price, \$4.00.

26 and 28-inch Twill Satens, warranted first color, Paragon frame, gold and silver caps; sale price, 90¢; regular price, \$1.50.

BLANKETS.

Note Well Reductions Below:

Large size White Blankets, 5½ lbs weight, clearing sale price, \$1.20 per pair; regular price, \$1.85.

100 pairs 11-4 size White Blankets, fine and heavy, clearing sale price, \$2; regular price, \$3.50.

95 pairs large size White Blankets, all pure wool and very choice goods, clearing sale price, \$3.45 per pair; regular price, \$4.50.

175 pairs Scarlet Blankets, strictly pure wool and heavy goods, clearing sale price, \$2.58 per pair; regular price, \$3.50.

47 pairs extra large size Scarlet All-Wool Blankets, heavy and fine, clearing sale price, \$4.33 per pair; regular price, \$5.75.

COLOR DRESS GOODS.

Note Well Reductions Below:

At 6 1-4 Cents. 60 pieces figured and fleeced-lined Flannels for Wrappers; reduced from 12½¢.

At 7 1-2 Cents. 55 pieces German Dress Plaids, all-wool filling; reduced from 15¢.

At 8 1-3 Cents. 50 pieces best quality Black and White Striped Skirting; reduced from 12½¢.

At 9 Cents. 175 pieces double-width English Henrietta, with borders and figured effects, all desirable colorings; reduced from 15¢.

At 11 1-2 Cents. 53 pieces yard-wide Pin-Check Heather Mixtures, all-wool filling, in grays only; reduced from 25¢.

At 12 1-2 Cents. 90 pieces Imported Dress Novelty Plaids, some of the best designs of the season; reduced from 25¢.

At 15 Cents. 10 pieces yard-wide English Melton Cloth Suiting, in dark mixtures; reduced from 25¢.

At 20 Cents. 10 pieces Novelty Stripe French Serges, for Tea Gowns and Combinations, full line of colors; reduced from 40¢.

At 25 Cents. 32 pieces 52-inch Gray-mixed Ladies' Cloth; reduced from 45¢.

At 41 1-2 Cents. 53 pieces yard-wide all pure-wool French Serge; reduced from 45¢.

At 47 1-2 Cents. 51 pieces 52-inch pure all-wool imported Habit Cloth; reduced from 65¢.

At 72 1-2 Cents. 87 pieces 54-inch genuine French Broadcloth, all colors; reduced from \$1.

Recently imported goods, the finest cloths that were ever reduced to as low figures.

150 pieces 40-inch finest quality French Cashmere, in a variety of plaids, silk mixed and herringbone styles, sale price, 57½¢; reduced from \$1 a yard.

125 pieces 40-inch French Camel's Hair Poule in latest colors, including some fine spring shades; sale price, 55¢; reduced from \$1 a yard.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR.

Note Well Reductions Below:

Chemises of excellent muslin, with V-shaped yoke of solid embroidery; sale price, 97¢; regular price \$1.50.

Ghazelles of best muslin, pompadour style; sale price, 47¢; regular price 75¢.

Gowns of good muslin, Hubbard style; Gowns of best muslin, Hubbard style, yoke of tucks and herringbone stitching; sale price 80¢; regular price \$1.

Skirts of best muslin, yoke band, deep flounce of Hamburg, headed by tucks; sale price 83¢; regular price \$1.25.

Drawers of good muslin, yoke bands, trimmed with flounce and cluster of tucks; sale price 33¢; regular price 50¢.

Drawers of good quality muslin, well made; sale price 25¢; regular price 35¢.

A 100 dozen lot of Aprons, 8 styles best lawn, for 15¢.

SOAPS AND PERFUMERY.

Note Well Reductions Below:

75 gross Cocoanut Soap, clearing sale price 2½¢ a cake; regular price 5¢ a cake.

15 gross Assorted Soaps, Carbolle, Tar and White Glycerine Soap; clearing sale price 5¢ a cake; regular price 10¢ a cake.

10 gross Camellia Florida Water Soap; clearing sale price 13¢ a cake; regular price 20¢ a cake.

1,000 bars pure Castile Soap, 4-lb bars; clearing sale price \$20 a bar; regular price \$30 a bar.

25 dozen Bay Rum, 10¢ a bottle; regular price 25¢ a bottle.

25 dozen large size Florida Water; clearing sale price 27¢ a bottle; regular price 40¢.

All our own Triple Extracts; clearing sale price 20¢ an oz.; regular price 30¢ oz.

ART NEEDLEWORK.

Note Well Reductions Below:

All colors Saxony Yarn, clearing sale price, 84¢; regular price, 10¢.

Finished Cambric Pillow Shams, in red, all new designs, clearing sale price, 85¢; regular price, \$1.25.

Booster Shams to match, clearing sale price, 85¢; regular price, \$1.25.

1,000 bunches of Emb. Silks, 25 skeins each, assorted, clearing sale price, 10¢ each; regular price, 20¢.

Note Well Reductions Below:

6 dozen all-wool double shawls, choice line of styles, clearing sale price, \$1.80; regular price, \$2.75.

8 dozen very fine double all-wool Shawls, all new designs, clearing sale price, \$3.05; regular price, \$4.25 each.

4 dozen very heavy reversible Beaver Shawls, clearing sale price, \$3.79; regular price, \$5.00 each.

5 dozen extra fine reversible Velvet Beaver Shawls, the choicest goods in the market, clearing sale price, \$5.68; regular price, \$7.75 each.

CLOVES.

Note Well Reductions Below:

Ladies' fine quality 4-button French Kid Gloves, dressed and undressed, clearing sale price, 55¢ a pair; regular price, 85¢ and \$1.

Gentlemen's best make 2-button Kid Gloves, some very slightly soiled, clearing sale price, 75¢ a pair; regular price, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.

Ladies' lined Silk Mittens, in black and colors, fancy open work on back, clearing sale price, 75¢ a pair; regular price, \$1.

Ladies' best quality Jersey Top Cashmere Gloves, clearing sale price, 29¢ a pair; regular price, 50¢.

Gentlemen's Plush Lined Kid Gloves, clearing sale price, \$1 a pair; regular price, \$1.50.

Gentlemen's Fur Gauntlets, kid and buck palm, lined with lamb skin, clearing sale price, 50¢ a pair; regular price, \$3 and \$5.50.

Ladies' lined and unlined fine Saxony Wool Mittens, clearing sale price, 25¢; regular price, 40¢.

Embroideries.

Note Well Reductions Below:

At 24¢ a Yard—46 pieces Hamburg Edging, from ½ to 1½ inches; reduced from 50¢ a yard.

At 34¢ a Yard—53 pieces Hamburg Edging, from 2 to 2½ inches; reduced from 75¢ a yard.

At 56¢ a Yard—73 pieces Hamburg Edging, from 3 to 4 inches; reduced from 100¢ a yard.

At 74¢ a Yard—451 pieces Hamburg Edging, nice, fine patterns; reduced from 12½¢ a yard.

At 10¢ a Yard—623 pieces fine Hamburg Embroidery, nice skirt widths; reduced from 20¢ a yard.

Now is your time to buy Embroidered Skirtings. Big Job Lot, 500 pieces of 45-inch Skirting in hemstitched, Revers and tucked patterns, slightly soiled, just given away.

At 40¢ a Yard—45-inch Swiss Skirting, 30-inch wide; reduced from 85¢ a yard.

At 70¢ a Yard—115 pieces fine 45-inch Swiss Skirting, in hemstitched and Irish Point effects; reduced from \$1.25 and \$1.50 a yard.

At 1.00 a Yard—290 pieces fine 45-inch Swiss Skirting, in hemstitched, Revers and tucked effects; reduced from \$2.00 and \$2.25 a yard—just half price.

LADIES' SUITS.

Note Well Reductions Below:

Black and Colored Silk Suits reduced to \$17.50 from \$30.00.

Tailor-made Suits in fine Broadcloth, reduced to \$25.50 from \$37.50.

Henrietta Suits in all the newest and most fashionable shades, reduced to \$15.00 from \$27.50.

Accordian Suits, in fine Henrietta and Shudrah Cloths, reduced to \$15.00 from \$27.75.

Cashmere Suits in all shades, reduced to \$15.00 from \$22.50.

Tea Gowns, in fine Cloth, Plush trimmed; reduced to \$7.75 from \$12.50.

A large variety of Children's Suits, from 4 to 15 years, in latest styles and all of desirable goods; reduced to less than one-half their actual value.

Debeige Suits, reduced to \$5.50 from \$10.50.

LACES AND COLLARS.

Note Well Reductions Below:

25 dozen Colored Silk Scarfs, at 10¢ each; regular price, 20¢ each.

64 dozen Lace and Embroidered Collars at 5¢ and 10¢ each; reduced from 20¢ and 25¢ each.

40 pieces Cream Lace at 1¼¢ a yard; reduced from 3¢ a yard.

600 pieces Real Torchon Laces at 2¼¢ and 3¼¢ a yard; reduced from 5¢ and 7¼¢ a yard.

43 pieces Cream Vandyke Laces, 2 inches, at 5¢ a yard; reduced from 12½¢ a yard.

48-inch Black Silk Drapery Net, at 50¢ a yard; reduced from \$1 a yard.

10 pieces Black Spanish Guipure Flounce (all silk, pearl edge) at 90¢ a yard; reduced from \$1.55 a yard.

RIBBONS.

Note Well Reductions Below:

A beautiful line of wide Ribbon in the latest moire, satin and armure stripes, elegant variety of shades, reduced to 27½¢ a yard; regular price, 40¢, 60¢ and 70¢.

All our 60 and 75 Sash Ribbons in black, satin edge, in moire and satin, reduced to 47¢ a yard.

Nos. 9, 12 and 16, all silk colored Grosgrain Ribbon, reduced to 50¢ a yard.

TRIMMINGS AND FURS.

Note Well Reductions Below:

1,000 pieces fancy Trimming Braids; clearing sale price, 50¢ a yard; regular price, 10¢.

150 pieces Colored Silk Gimp, 2½ inches wide; clearing sale price, 12½¢ a yard; regular price, 25¢ a yard.

100 pieces Persian Trimmings, clearing sale price, 25¢ a yard; regular price, \$1 a yard.

1,000 Black Beaded ornaments, 90 each; regular price, 20¢ each.

CLOAKS.

Note Well Reductions Below:

100 Ladies' Newmarkets, loose fronts, bell sleeves, in striped Scotch effects, sale price, 90¢; reduced from \$3.

50 Ladies' Newmarkets in stripes, sale price, \$2.50; reduced from \$5.50.

75 Ladies' Newmarkets in stripes, sale price, \$2.75; reduced from \$5.50.

125 Ladies' Newmarkets, camel's hair effects, also a large line of loose front, bell sleeve Newmarkets, sale price, \$4.75; reduced from \$11.50.

100 Imported Beaver Cloth Newmarkets, bound with braid, sale price, \$7.50; reduced from \$10.50.

75 Ladies' Newmarkets in dark green, blue and black, large shawl collars of black fur, sale price, \$9.75; reduced from \$18.50.

100 Plush Jackets, satin-lined, chamois pockets, sale price, \$6 reduced from \$10.50.

125 extra fine Seal Plush Wraps and Modjeskas, elegantly trimmed with real seal, Russian and monkey hair, sale price, \$17.50; reduced from \$33 and \$40.

85 Ladies' Walking Jackets in blues and browns, with jacquard vest, sale price, \$8.75; reduced from \$17.50.

50 Ladies' Cloth Directors English Top Coats, satin lined, in navy and black, sale price, \$8.75; reduced from \$15.50.

100 Ladies' elegant Seal Plush Sequences, quilted satin lining, chamois pockets, sale price, \$17.50; reduced from \$30.

250 Children's Cloaks in all the leading styles, many of them imported, sale price, \$4.75; reduced from \$10.75, \$11.50 and \$12.50.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS.

Note Well Reductions Below:

Linen Collars, all sizes, standing and turn downs, clearing sale price, 5¢; regular price, 15 and 20¢.

Cut-throat ties, 10¢ a pair.

Boys' Elastic Suspenders, clearing sale price, 10¢ a pair; regular price, 20¢.

Gent's Silk Ties and 4-in-land Ties, clearing sale price, 15¢; regular price, 25¢ and 35¢.

Gent's White Cashmere Mufflers, clearing sale price, 25¢; regular price, 50¢.

Gent's large size Silk Mufflers, clearing sale price, 60¢; regular price, \$1.50.

Gent's New York Mills Muslin shirts, 1800 linen-cut in bosoms, button lined, clearing sale price, 50¢; regular price, \$1.00.

Boys' heavy brown mixed shirts, corded fronts, clearing sale price, 80¢; regular price, \$1.50.

Men's heavy all-wool Cardigan Jackets, clearing sale price, \$1.35; regular price \$2.50.

Men's fine office Jersey Jackets, all sizes, clearing sale price, \$1.75; regular price \$3.50.

Boys' all-wool Flannel Waists, all sizes, clearing sale price, 60¢; regular price, \$1 and \$1.25.

Best quality Star Percale Waists, laundered, clearing sale price, 30¢; regular price, \$1 and \$1.50.

Underwear.

Note Well Reductions Below:

Men's heavy gray Merino Shirts or Drawers all sizes, clearing sale price, 35¢; regular price, 60¢.

Men's Fancy Striped Shirts, all sizes, clearing sale price, 50¢; regular price, \$1.

Men's fine fancy striped silk finished wool Shirts or Drawers, clearing sale price, 70¢ per garment; regular price, \$3 a suit.

Men's heavy all-wool twilled Flannel Shirts, clearing sale price, \$1; regular price, \$2.

Men's all-wool Sanitary Gray Shirts or Drawers, clearing sale price, 60¢; regular price, \$1.

Boys' heavy Merino Shirts or Drawers, clearing sale price, 34¢; regular price, 18¢.

Ladies' Jersey Rib Vests, high neck and long sleeves, clearing sale price, 25¢; regular price, 50¢.

Ladies' all-wool Medicated Vests or Pants, clearing sale price, 75¢; regular price, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

All odd lots of Underwear will be sold on Monday at 25¢ on the dollar.

A GREAT LEFT-OVER SALE**BOOKS.**

On account of the enormous Xmas trade we were compelled to carry an extraordinary heavy stock, and have

Too many Books Left! They Have Gt to Go!

Here are some PRICES that will make them:

Book	Price
Carlyle's French Revolution, 2 vols., 12mo., 1848	75¢
Emerson's Essays, 2 vols., 12mo., 1848	75¢
Academy's Essays, 2 vols., 12mo., 1848	75¢
Prescott's Ferdinand and Isabella 2 vols., 12mo., 1848	1.25
Red Line Poets—algebraic shift-work—	48
Farwell's Doubled edition—	58
Prince Constantine's Victory—	75
Dore's Bible Gallery—	25
Young's Voltaire's Works—	68
Illustrated—	48
Good Times—a 100-page juvenile book—	48
Illustrated—	20
Guizot's History of France, 8 vols., 12mo., 1848	48
Illustrated—	25
50¢	50¢

HOSIERY.

Note Well Reductions Below:

Ladies' fancy striped Cotton Hose, clearing sale price, 8¢; regular price, 15¢.

Ladies' all-wool Black Cashmere Hose, clearing sale price, 18¢; regular price, 35¢.

Ladies' black full regular Cashmere Hose, clearing sale price, 30¢; regular price, 60¢.

Children's heavy seamless Black Cotton Ribbed Hose, sizes 6 to 8, clearing sale price, 10¢; regular price, 15¢.

Children's heavy Scotch Wool Hose, in black or gray, sizes 6½ to 8, clearing sale price, 20¢; regular price, 40¢.

Gent's brown mixed Cotton Socks, clearing sale price, 8¢; regular price, 10¢.

Men's heavy seamless all-wool Socks, gray, clearing sale price, 15¢; regular price, 25¢.

Men's genuine British Socks, all sizes, clearing sale price, 17½¢; regular price, 25¢.

KNIT GOODS.

Note Well Reductions Below:

Ladies' Wool Fascinators, all colors, clearing sale price, 18¢; regular price, 25¢.

Ladies' heavy Chenille Fascinators, in white or cream, clearing sale price, 30¢; regular price, 75¢.

Ladies' heavy Wool Fascinators, beaded, clearing sale price, 45¢; regular price, \$1.

Misses' and Infants' Wool Hoods and Toppers, clearing sale price, 18¢; regular price, 30¢ to 75¢.

Misses' and Ladies' Jockey Caps and Toppers, best goods, clearing sale price, 35¢; regular price, \$1 to \$1.50.

Ladies' Large Black Wool Hoods, very stylish, clearing sale price, 50¢; regular price, \$1.00.

Ladies' Large Chenille Fascinators, all colors, clearing sale price, \$1.10; regular price, \$1.75 and \$2.

Children's all-wool Leggings, sizes 3, 4 and 5, clearing sale price, 25¢; regular price, 35¢ to 65¢.

BUTTONS AND NOTIONS.

Note Well Reductions Below:

1,500 gross Pearl Shirt Buttons; clearing sale price, 1¼¢ a doz.; regular price, 1½¢.

2,800 gross Pearl Dress Buttons, 18 to 26 lines; clearing sale price, 2¼¢ a doz.; regular price, 3¼¢.

5,000 gross Jet Ivory and Metal Dress Buttons; clearing sale price 2¼¢ a doz.; regular price, 3¼¢.

Special lot of Directors Buttons; clearing sale price, 25¢ a doz.; regular price, 35¢, \$4 and \$5 a doz.

5,000 doz. French Basting Cottons, 500-yd. spools; clearing sale price, 3¢ for 50¢; regular price, 5¢.

10 gross Bristle Hair Brushes; clearing sale price, 10¢ each; regular price, 25¢ each.

45 gross Shell Dressing Combs; clearing sale price, 15¢ each; regular price, 40¢ each.

CORSETS.

Note Well Reductions Below:

35 dozen splendid long-waisted Corsets, zone band; clearing sale price, 37¢; regular price, 60¢.

15 dozen Mme. More Cutaway Hip Corsets, clearing sale price, 50¢; regular price, \$1.

Odd lot of popular makes, including R. & G., J. B., C. B.; clearing sale price, \$2.50; regular price, \$2.40; regular price, \$3.25.

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COMFORTS.

Note Well Reductions Below:

13 bales large size Bed Comforts, real heavy and good styles, clearing sale price, 90¢; regular price, \$1.50 each.

9 bales large size Bed Comforts, fine quality of goods, clearing sale price, \$1.35; regular price, \$1.75 each.

11 bales fine Sateen Bed Comforts, oil calico lining, largest size, clearing sale price, \$1.42; regular price, \$2.15 each.

6 bales fine Chintz Bed Comforts, extra quality of white batting and oil calico lined, clearing sale price, \$1.75; regular price, \$2.25 each.

JEWELRY DEPT.

Note Well Reductions Below:

A large assortment of fancy Bar Breast Pins, clearing sale price, 90¢; regular price, 25¢.

Double fancy Lace Pins with chain, clearing sale price, 40¢; regular price, 15¢.

A large assortment of Bangles Bracelets, 7 rings, clearing sale price, 10¢; regular price, 35¢.

Shell and Black Side Combs, clearing sale price, 30¢ a pair; regular price, 15¢ a pair.

Solid Gold Amethyst Set Rings, clearing sale price, 90¢; regular price, \$1.50.

BLACK DRESS GOODS.

Note Well Reductions Below:

50 pieces 24-inch Diagonals; sale price, 84¢; regular price, 12½¢.

60 pieces 30-inch Craple Marett; sale price, 15¢; regular price, 25¢.

80 pieces 38-inch Henrietta, blue blacks; sale price, 21¢; regular price, 35¢.

60 pieces 38-inch All-wool India Serge; sale price, 21¢; regular price, 35¢.

30 pieces 36-inch All-wool Bison Cloth; sale price, 32½¢; regular price, 50¢.

20 pieces 54-inch Habit Cloth; sale price, 47½¢; regular price, 65¢.

15 pieces 54-inch English Broadcloth; sale price, 72½¢; regular price, \$1.00.

20 pieces 54-inch All-wool, silk-finished Henrietta; sale price, 85¢; regular price, \$1.25.

45-inch black and white Camel's hair fabric; sale price, 67½¢; reduced from \$1 a yard.

15 pieces 40-inch Silk-warp Henrietta; sale price, \$1.22½; regular price, \$1.75.

LINENS.

Note Well Reductions Below:

250 dozen extra heavy Turkish Bath Towels, 22x42 inches, clearing sale price, 10¢; regular price, 15¢ each.

100 dozen Loom Damask Towels, fast edges and pure linen, clearing sale price, 50¢ each; regular price, 75¢.

160 dozen bleached Damask Towels, knotted fringe, 1 yard long, clearing sale price, 12½¢ each; regular price, 17½¢.

50 dozen very fine Loom Damask Towels, 21x42 inches, clearing sale price, 16½¢, 8 for \$1; regular price, 22½¢.

2,000 yards bleached all-linen Crash, 18 inches wide, clearing sale price, 60¢ per yard; regular price, 85¢.

1,800 yards brown all-linen Crash, 20 inches wide, clearing sale price, 85¢; regular price, 115¢.

18 dozen Loom Damask Table Cloths, with fringe and red border, clearing sale price, 85¢; regular price, \$1.25 each.

26 pieces Loom Damask Table Linen, 54 inches wide, clearing sale price, 21¢ per yard; regular price, 30¢.

17 pieces full bleached Table Damask, 54 inches wide, extra nice goods, clearing sale price, 28¢; regular price, 40¢.

26 pieces extra fine green Damask Table Linen, 62 inches wide, clearing sale price, 48¢ per yard; regular price, 60¢.

4 cases 60 inches wide Turkey Red Table Damask, Alexander's best colors, clearing sale price, 40¢ per yard; regular price, 55¢.

3 cases White Quilts, Marseilles patterns, good size and heavy goods, clearing sale price, 55¢ each; regular price, 75¢.

3 cases White Crochet Quilts, Marseilles patterns, 11-4 size, clearing sale price, 65¢ each; regular price, 85¢.

2 cases extra size White Quilts, choice Marseilles pattern, clearing sale price, \$1.00 each; regular price, \$1.35.

HOUSE FURNISHINGS.

Note Well Reductions Below:

300 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3 yards long, taped edges, clearing sale price, 45¢ per pair; regular price, \$1.

122 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3 yards long, taped edges, clearing sale price, 75¢; regular price, \$1.25 per pair.

85 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains, choice line of styles, clearing sale price, \$1.10 per pair; regular price, \$1.65.

138 pairs extra choice Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3½ yards long and very fine goods; clearing sale price, \$1.98 per pair; regular price, \$2.75.

96 pairs extra fine Nottingham Lace Curtains, the very latest designs, clearing sale price, \$2.45 per pair; regular price, \$3.50.

300 pairs Turcoman Portieres, red and blue, clearing sale price, \$1.45 per pair; regular price, \$2.25.

66 pairs Turcoman Portieres choice lines of colors, with fine rich dyes, clearing sale price \$1.98 per pair; regular price, \$2.55.

45 pairs extra quality Turcoman Portieres, very fine choice lines, clearing sale price, \$3.35 per pair; regular price, \$4.50.

23 pairs fine Vienna Chenille Portieres, all over patterns, clearing sale price, \$2.70 per pair; regular price, \$4.75.

Note Well Reductions Below:

500 pairs Ladies' Warm Lined Felt Slippers, sizes 3 to 8, clearing sale price, 45¢ a pair; regular price, 75¢.

500 pairs Ladies' Warm Lined Felt or Leather Sole Slippers, sizes 3 to 8, clearing sale price, 75¢ and 90¢ a pair; regular price, \$1 and \$1.25.

150 pairs Ladies' Kid Button Boots, clearing sale price, 80¢ a pair; regular price, \$1.50.

200 pairs Ladies' Bright Dongola Patent Leather Tipped Button Boots, clearing sale price, \$1.50 a pair; regular price, \$2.

500 pairs Misses' Plain Patent Leather Tipped Button Boots, in kid or goat, heel and spring heel, sizes 13 to 3, clearing sale price, \$1.25; regular price, \$2.

300 pairs Children's Spring Heel Button Boots, worked button holes, sizes 3 to 6, clearing sale price, 80¢ a pair; regular price \$1.

250 pairs Children's Grain School Shoes, heel or spring heel, solar tipped, sizes 5 to 11, clearing sale price, 80¢ a pair; regular price \$1.25.

300 pairs Ladies' Warm Lined Felt Shoes, sizes 3 to 8, clearing sale price 80¢ a pair; regular price, \$1.25.

800 pairs Ladies' Arctic Overshoes, sizes 34 to 7, clearing sale price, 90¢ a pair; regular price \$1.

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500 pairs Ladies' Warm Lined Felt or Leather Sole Slippers, sizes 3 to 8, clearing sale price, 75¢ and 90¢ a pair; regular price, \$1 and \$1.25.

150 pairs Ladies' Kid Button Boots, clearing sale price, 80¢ a pair; regular price, \$1.50.

200 pairs Ladies' Bright Dongola Patent Leather Tipped Button Boots, clearing sale price, \$1.50 a pair; regular price, \$2.

500 pairs Misses' Plain Patent Leather Tipped Button Boots, in kid or goat, heel and spring heel, sizes 13 to 3, clearing sale price, \$1.25; regular price, \$2.

300 pairs Children's Spring Heel Button Boots, worked button holes, sizes 3 to 6, clearing sale price, 80¢ a pair; regular price \$1.

250 pairs Children's Grain School Shoes, heel or spring heel, solar tipped, sizes 5 to 11, clearing sale price, 80¢ a pair; regular price \$1.25.

300 pairs Ladies' Warm Lined Felt Shoes, sizes 3 to 8, clearing sale price 80¢ a pair; regular price, \$1.25.

800 pairs Ladies' Arctic Overshoes, sizes 34 to 7, clearing sale price, 90¢ a pair; regular price \$1.

Announce another week of the great stock-taking sale. An extra big effort to get rid of every yard of winter dry goods. With your help we'll do it, and we've fixed the prices so low that you'll be only too willing to do your part.

We guarantee the lowest-priced dry goods in town this week.

We bought too much for such a mild winter as this and the only thing to do is to get rid of it at any price rather than carry our surplus stock.

Barr's never carry over goods. Want everything of the latest, freshest and best.

Please read this advertisement over very carefully.

Muslin Underwear.

Somebody says that if you don't expect more from life than life can afford, you're all right. But then how do we know when to stop expecting? Of course nobody expected a sale of ten thousand dollars' worth of new muslin underwear; but it's going to happen nevertheless at Barr's this week. Not a bit of trashy goods, all new, fresh and the latest styles, best material and workmanship.

Consisting of Ladies' Chemises, Gowns, Drawers, Skirts and Corset Covers. The following are a few of the bargains:

50c each—25 dozen Ladies' High-Neck Corset Covers, plain.
50c each—30 dozen Ladies' Plain Tucked Drawers.
50c each—15 dozen Ladies' Colored Band Chemise.
40c each—75c dozen Ladies' Mother Hubbard Gowns, tucked yoke, ruffle on neck and sleeves.
40c each—10 dozen Ladies' Pomp Chemise, three rows inserting and edge of embroidery on neck and sleeves.

50c each—20 dozen Ladies' Muslin Drawers, ruffle or embroidery and tucks above.
50c each—35 dozen Ladies' High-Neck Corset Covers, trimmed with embroidery or lace.
75c each—25 dozen Ladies' Mother Hubbard Gowns, tucked yoke, edge on neck and sleeves.

75c each—15 dozen Ladies' M. H. Gowns, yoke of inserting and tucks, edge on neck and sleeves.
50c each—A lot of Children's Aprons, ages 4 to 10 years; were 90c, \$1 and \$1.20; they go in this sale at 50c.

75c each—Children's Aprons, ages 4 to 10 years; were \$1.25 and \$1.50; these are extra length and good quality, 4 to 10 years.

50c each—A lot of Fashions, slightly soiled; were 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.10, in all colors.

Hosiery.

Ladies' English Cashmere Hose, double heels and toes, best value and lowest price ever made for this quality; 30 cents from 65c.
Ladies' English Cashmere Hose, a very superior quality, double heel and toes, 50c; former price, 65c.
Ladies' English Ribbed Colored Cashmere Hose, high spliced ankles, double toes and heels, best goods offered this season, 65c; reduced from \$1.10.

Ladies' fancy cotton, black and solid colors, extra fine quality, good value at 35c; reduced to 25c.

Children's ribbed black and colored Cotton Hose, not fade in washing or stain the foot, 25c; out from 50c.

200 pieces of Persian Lawn in plaid effects, every pattern is a novelty; 15c.
Special number of our Imported India Linens—very fine and sheer; 15c.
400 pieces of 36-inch soft finish Long Cloth—special fabric for underwear; 15c.
We are showing one of the latest novelties in a White Princess Mili with lace effects and Oriental plaid patterns—the price is 20c.
40 pieces of Cream Crepe with lace strips patterns—very handsome; 25c.
30 pieces of the most desirable and latest novelties in White Goods for the spring of 1890 have now arrived—handsomest stock in America.

Flannels.

Read these prices and wonder how we can do it:
20c 27-inch cream white Shaker; down to 10c per yard.
20c 27-inch fancy Union Shirting Flannel; down to 10c per yard.
40c 30-inch gray and brown mixed Shaker Flannel; down to 20c per yard.
20c 27-inch red twilled Medicated dye; down to 10c per yard.
20c 27-inch navy blue twilled Indigo dye; down to 10c per yard.
20c 27-inch blue gray twilled all-wool; down to 10c per yard.

20c 27-inch plain Elder-down Cloth in pink, baby blue, scarlet, gray, etc.; down to 10c per yard.
75c 27-inch Fancy Jersey Cloth; down to 50c per yard.
\$1.25 54-inch California Honeycomb Cloaking in light blue and red and cream white; down to \$1.50 per yard.

\$2.45 54-inch Fancy Matelasse Cloth for children and ladies' house jackets; down to \$1 per yard.
75c 27-inch Fancy French Flannels for ladies' house wear; down to 25c per yard.
\$1.25 50-inch Broadcloth in all the leading shades; down to 75c per yard.

40c 36-inch all-wool Habit Cloth in 30 different shades; down to 24c per yard.

Remnants of Fancy Flannel at one-half price.
Remnants of Silk and Zephyr Embroidered Flannel at one-half price.

Knit Wear.

Ladies' French ribbed wool Vests, high neck, long sleeves, pink, blue, scarlet, natural and white; an unusually low price is made to clear this line, 50c; out from \$1.25.
Ladies' French ribbed wool Vests, an extra superior quality, colors same as above, high neck, long sleeves, \$1.00; out from \$1.40.

Ladies' Norfolk and New Brunswick Vests, high neck, long sleeves, \$1.00; out from \$1.40.
Ladies' French ribbed Vests, high neck, long sleeves, \$1.00; out from \$1.40.

Ladies' pure silk French ribbed Vests, high neck, long sleeves, same as above, \$2.50; reduced from \$3.

House Furnishings.

How'd you like to get fifteen dollars worth for \$3.97? Here's how. All our ten dollar brass clocks at \$3.97 each. No glass shades to "em."
Our fine ten dollar lamps reduced to \$5; ten dollar brass sets \$4.
A grand high price sale. All toys, plush goods, gas heating stoves, foot warmers, bronzes, vases, and so forth, go at exactly half price this week.

English Porcelain Dinner Sets of 143 pieces; reduced from \$25 to \$15 set.
English white body finely decorated Dinner Sets; reduced from \$25 to \$15 set.
Elegant line of French China Tea Sets, 54 and 65 pieces; reduced from \$10 to \$5.
Handsome Fish Sets, reduced from \$35 to \$15.
Haviland and Delanier Fish Sets; reduced from \$30 to \$15.
English Bronze Clocks, with or without alarm, from \$6 to \$2.95.
Handsome Wood Clocks reduced from \$10 to \$7.50.

Umbrellas.

In the common course of things we'd have to charge you almost as much again for these fine silk umbrellas, but this week's out of the common course.
Silk Umbrellas, 96-inch, "Barr's" Special Brand, gold handles; reduced from \$3.50 to \$2 each.
Fine Silk Umbrellas, silver and gold handles, crook and straight; out from \$4.25 to \$3 each.

Handsome Silk Umbrellas with elegant colored handles (some Jan. 11 are solid silver); out from \$3.50 and \$5 to \$4 each.
Fine Silk Umbrellas with natural buckhorn handles, silver-mounted; out from \$9 to \$6.75.

Dress Goods.

Special week in Dress Goods suitable for spring wear. All the latest fashionable shades.
36-inch Half Wool Cashmeres, all colors, worth 20c; reduced to 15c per yard.
36-inch All-Wool Cashmeres, all colors, in the new mixtures, worth 50c; reduced to 25c per yard.

36-inch Half Wool Cashmeres, in all the new spring colorings, worth 50c; reduced to 25c per yard.
40-inch All-Wool French Cashmeres in the latest spring shades, worth 65c; reduced to 50c per yard.
Balance of our French Robes, worth \$10; reduced to \$5.
Balance of our French Robes, worth \$15; reduced to \$7.50.
Balance of our French Robes, worth \$20; reduced to \$10.
Balance of our French Robes, worth \$25; reduced to \$12.50.
Balance of our French Robes, worth \$30; reduced to \$15.
Balance of our French Robes, worth \$35; reduced to \$17.50.
This sale of French Robes is a most remarkable one—your dollar will buy a beautiful dollar pattern for \$5, or a \$50 dress for \$15.

Grand Opening

EMBROIDERIES.

Novelties in hem-stitched and Vandyke effects, Eiffel Tower perpendicular effects, and the new appliques. See the new ladder work for children's wear. Our own exclusive designs.

Here's a small bargain list:

11 1/2 to 2-inch Hamburg, 50 a yard.
2 to 3 1/2-inch Hamburg, 100 a yard.
3 to 5 1/2-inch Hamburg, 100 a yard.
6 to 8-inch Hamburg, 210 a yard.
You never bought Hamburgs at such prices, did you?
Novelties in Irish Points, Gimpure and Vandyke Embroideries.

See the beautiful Infant Skirtings and Novelties in colored skirtings.

Silks Sacrificed.

You may rely on every word below:

Everybody knows there's going to be something special when Barr's Silk Department is heard from. There is an extra special today. Fearful cut in prices.
20 pos 28-inch real Shanghai Figural Silks, your choice for \$1; out from \$1.50 and \$1.75.
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10 pos rich stripe Silk, all new shades, your choice for 75c; out from \$1.25.

A good 24-inch Satin Rhadame, black only, for \$1.00; out from \$1.50.
A good black Silk, wear guaranteed, for \$1.50; out from \$2.

Sublime quality Black Silk for \$1.35; out from \$2.25.
200 pos Black Surahs, bought before the advance in raw silk, now on sale at 50c, 60c to \$1.25, and every number is on 25 to 40 per cent less than the importers ask for them today.

A few pieces left of those rich colored Broadcades, selling for \$1.50; former price, \$3.50.
Rich colored Moire and Satin Stripes, selling for \$1.50; out from \$2.50.
Bore double Saxony Tarn Mittens, 15c a pair.

Buy genuine Scotch Wool Gloves, 50c a pair. Finest quality pure Silk Wristlets, black and dark colors; reduced from \$1.00 to 75c a pair.

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Receipt Book by Mrs. Rorer, Principal of the Peabody School. Every child should have one. Lectures morning and afternoon.

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for this matter are highly appreciated by the non-

ple of Springfield. The work of building the road in from Bates will begin as soon as the weather will permit.

THAT LIVE STOCK SQUABLS.

The fight between Mayor Fider's Republican Board of Live Stock Commissioners on one side, and Chicago's windy Mayor and his board of health officers on the other, has become as interesting as it is ludicrous. The board, that over 100 head of lumpy-jawed cattle, that were commandeered by the State at Peoria and shipped to Chicago to be tanked and rendered into grease, because there was no institution

prepared to do the business in Peoria. When the cattle arrived at the Union Stock Yards the Board of Health officer inspected them and said that ninety-two of them were fit for food. The Chicago people are not fastidious over a little thing like diseased beef. Not

board and the Secretary were there-
fore to the order of the court, con-
sidering the Chicago papers, of course, took sides with the health man that Gov. Packer
made out everybody in Chicago got mad,
the Mayor and the President of the board of
health were forced to send a single star to
Chicago.

NEW CORPORATIONS

Articles of incorporation have been filed in
the office of the Secretary of State for the fol-
lowing:

C. Haase Store & Hardware Co., East St. Capital, \$1,000. Incorporators, Louis Haase, Wm. H. Haase and Charles F. Haase.	Chicago Electrical Supply Co., East St. Capital, \$1,000. Incorporators, Henry
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Belleville Keg factory of Belleville. Capital, \$5,000. Incorporators, Nicholas Haffner,

THE GARFIELD MEMORIAL.

Preparing for Its Occupancy—A Test on Admission of the Statue.

By Telegram to the POST-DISPATCH.

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 11.—The Garfield statue is now in the New York Custom-house. There is a law which provides that works of art such as statues, moldings, pictures, etc., designed for Government buildings or monuments shall be admitted free of duty. The statue can be taken out of the Custom-house under this law, but Doyle, the sculptor, wishes

purely as a work of art, without regard to its being something for the use of the Govern-

ment. The committee decided to let him go ahead and try to accomplish his object. The committee decided to change the name from Garfield Monument to Garfield Memorial, as the original name conveys a misleading idea of the nature of the structure, which is more like a building than the conception of a monument. The committee also decided to accept applications for admission to the Memorial. What was at first intended as a measure to regulate the crowds that flocked to the place has turned into a source of revenue. It is their duty to devote all the money taken at the entrance to the Memorial to the improvement of the structure.

the grounds about it. The transfer of the remains from the vault to the memorial will be made without public demonstration.

Decorated. Ex-Gov. Cox will be the orator. The bronze casket containing the remains will be placed in the crypt directly under the dome of the monument and the public will then be excluded from that part of the structure. The casket will be guarded and surrounded that it would take expert cracksmen twenty-four hours to work through to it. The statue, which is eight feet tall, will stand in the rotunda of the memorial.

New Law That Congress Will Be Asked to

Make.

District Attorney George D. Reynolds left last night for Washington with the draft of the naturalization law, prepared with the advice and assistance of Judge Thayer. Mr. Reynolds will have it introduced into Congress and hopes to interest Congressmen who will work for its passage. The bill is the outcome of the great frauds committed in the naturalization of aliens in St. Louis before the general

election of 1887. These frauds were fully exposed by the POST-DISPATCH on March 3, 1887, after a careful and thorough investigation and

the canvass of large sections of the city. This great work enabled the Grand-jury of the United States District Court to find numerous indictments. On trial all the defendants escaped conviction owing to the failure of the legal staff. Although the plan was not owing to the forgetfulness of principal witnesses at critical places in the testimony they escaped. George F. Durant and other jurymen saw that there were defects in the naturalization law and presented a memorial to Congress for the amendment of the law. The bill Mr. Reynolds has prepared in accordance with

that memorial. It provides that applicants for naturalization shall reside in the country three years before declaring their intention to

Before citizens can move to apply for dual papers two years after the declaration. All the testimony of the applicant and witnesses must be reduced to affidavit and made a matter of record in the court where the United States District Courts, such courts will have jurisdiction of final naturalizations. The applicant must be a resident of the country and the minor clause for naturalization will be required to read in the English language. Clerks of courts are forbidden under a heavy penalty to receive any fee from any organization for the payment of naturalization fees, and there is a provision for the deprivation of all rights of citizenship that may be obtained by any person who procures naturalization fraudulently obtained. There are other but minor changes in the existing law pro-

A FATHER'S SENTENCE

**Imposed on Poor Erring Minnie Beckett
Last Night.**

Mr. Thos. Beckett will not send for his erring daughter. At least that is what was said in a letter which came to Chief of Police Huebner yesterday from Maywood, Mo., concerning Minnie Beckett, the 17-year-old girl who was found at the Union Depot in this city three days ago. In July last she had been enticed away from her home in Maywood by one Bert Schultz, a young Swede, who represented himself as a traveling salesman in the employ of a local firm of clothiers. She went with the

fellow to Jefferson City, Quincy and Hannibal, stopping at the principal hotels, and was

Word was sent to her father through the Postmaster at Maywood. His answer was characteristic of the man, as he had been described by his daughter. His letter said: "I am sorry to hear of your trouble, but I cannot afford, without assistance from me. She can return and in the same way and I will give her a home, but I will never go after her."

The girl is now at her father's. Cross has been notified and will be at the depot tomorrow morning to take her where she can find employment until after confinement. She had no clothing when found, her trunk being held as Hannelius for a board bill which she had paid. Mrs. Cross has been told that Matron, has succeeded in getting her out, and will now endeavor to raise enough money to pay her passage back to Maywood as soon as she is over her trouble. The police have made a search for her, but have not been able to find her.

whereabouts, and the wrong he did the innocent country girl will probably go un-

The Queen's Daughters.

The Order of the Queen's Daughters, in connection with the monthly meeting of the teachers of the sewing schools, conducted by Catholic ladies of this city, will assemble at St. John's Literary Hall, Sixteenth and Chestnut streets, Wednesday the 15th inst., at 2 p. m. On that occasion the purpose and aim, also the requirements of the Queen's Daughters, will be fully explained. At the same time the members of the sewing schools will enable their numerous patrons to perceive that frequent and liberal donations have encouraged and largely aided the efficient teachers in the proper and successful conduct of their schools.

Late Society Notes.
Mrs. Will F. Mullaly, nee Miss Mollie Galla."

gber, is domiciled in her pretty flat, No. 1723 North Jefferson avenue, and will be home to her friends on "Wednesdays."

Mrs. William Hermans has recovered from her recent illness and will leave this week, accompanied by her brother, for Mexico and southern California, to spend the remainder of the winter for her health.

ST. LOUIS, SUNDAY MORNING, JANUARY 12, 1890.

"BEATRICE" Best And Best Story By H. RIDER HAGGARD.

SYNOPSIS OF CHAPTERS 1, 2 AND 3.

Beatrice Granger, a beautiful and remarkable girl of 22, stands gazing out to sea on the rocks near her father's home at Bryngelly, England. She has a strange life, and as she stands looking into the water she sees a strange, misty figure, which comes to her as a presentiment. At the Bell Rock, a couple of miles distant, Geoffrey Bingham, a splendid swimmer of 35 years of age, is spending his afternoon trying to shoot curlew. Beatrice, sitting on the shore, looks at the sea and goes out for a paddle. Before she has noticed it, the so-called "Death Fog" has come up, and she finds she has lost her bearings. She drifts about and finally comes close to the Bell Rock, where Geoffrey calls the boat to help him pick up his birds. He finds to his surprise, a woman in the canoe. They talk for a moment, and recognizing the locality, Beatrice asks him if he realizes his way to the shore is cut off by the tide, a fact he had failed to observe in his eagerness to bag the curlew. He offers her a place in her canoe, as the only other way to get ashore is a half mile swim. He accepts on condition that he may do the paddling. They are unable to go directly ashore on account of the rocks, but have to go across the reef, and the two strangers have a singular conversation. After a long paddle, the mist lifts and they find that a heavy squall is approaching and that the sea is very rough. They get ashore quickly. Geoffrey goes at the paddling with redoubled energy, and as the water gets rough, in his efforts to keep the canoe straight he breaks the paddle and loses his foot. His condition is desperate, but he struggles with superhuman energy to keep the canoe's head with the wind by means of the broken paddle. Beatrice uses her cap to bail out the canoe and takes Geoffrey's gun and rifle twice, but is unable to continue doing so as the cartridges are wet. They are unable to tell where they are and both prepare themselves to swim for life. They see little chance of life, though. Suddenly they hear the roar of the breakers; they take hold of hands, the canoe is lifted high in the air and comes down on a great rock, they are thrown into the water and Geoffrey becomes unconscious.

CHAPTER IV.

THE WATCHER AT THE DOOR.
This was what had happened. Just about the center of the reef is a large flat-topped rock—it may be twenty feet in the square—known to Bryngelly fishermen as Table Rock. In ordinary weather, even at high tide, the waters scarcely cover this rock, but when there is any sea, they wash over it with great violence. On to this rock Geoffrey and Beatrice had been hurled by the breaker. Fortunately for them it was thickly overgrown by seaweed, which to some slight extent broke the violence of the fall. As it was,



Cast on Table Rock.

Geoffrey was knocked senseless by the shock; but Beatrice, whose hand he still held, fell on to him and, with the exception of a few bruises and a shake, escaped unhurt.

She struggled to her knees, gasping. The water had run off the rock, and her companion lay quiet at her side. She put down her face and called into his ear, but no answer came, and then she knew that he was either dead or senseless.

At this second she caught a glimpse of something white gleaming in the darkness. Instinctively she flung herself upon her face,



"I HAVE HER—LEND A HAND, LADS."

gripping the long tough seaweed with one hand. The other she passed round the body of the helpless man beside her, straining him with all her strength against his side. Then came a wild long rush of foam. The water lifted her from the rock, but the seaweed held, and when at length the sea had gone boiling by she found herself and the senseless form of Geoffrey once more lying side by side. She was half choked. Desperately she struggled up and round, looking shoreward through the darkness. Heavens! there, not a hundred yards away, a light shone upon the waters. It was a boat's light, for it moved up and down. She flung her lungs with air and sent one long cry for help ringing across the sea. A moment passed and she thought she heard an answer, but because of the wind and the roar of the breakers she did not hear it. Then she turned and glanced seaward. Again the foaming terror was rushing down upon them; again she flung herself upon the rock, and grasping the slippery seaweed twined her left arm about the helpless Geoffrey.

It was on them. Oh, horror! Even in the turmoil of the boiling waters she felt the seaweed give. Now they were being swept along with the rushing wave, and death drew very near. But still she clung to Geoffrey. Once more the air touched her face. She had risen to the surface and was floating on the stormy water. The wave had passed. Looking her hold of Geoffrey, she slipped her hand up and up, and began to sink clutching him by the hair. Then treading water with her feet, for happily for them both she was as good a swimmer as could be found upon that coast, she managed to open her eyes. There, not sixty yards away, was the boat's light. Oh, if only she could reach it. She put the salt water from her mouth, and once more cried aloud. The light seemed to move on.

Then another wave rolled forward, and once more she was pushed down into the cruel depths, for with that dead weight hanging to her she could not keep above it. It dashed into her mind that if she let him go she might even now save herself, but even in that last terror this she would not do. If he went, she would go with him.

It would have been better if she had let him go. Down she went—down, down! "I will hold him," she said in her heart; "I will hold him still die." Then came waves of light and sound as of wind whispering through the trees, and all grew dark. "I tell you it ain't no good, Eddard," shouted a man in the boat to an old sailor, who was leaning forward in the bows peering

into the darkness. "We shall be right on to the Table Rocks in a minute and all down together. Put about, mate—put about."

"Damn yer," screamed the old man, turning so that the light from the lantern fell on his furrowed, fiercely anxious face and long white hair streaming in the wind. "Damn yer, ye cowards. I tell yer I heard her voice. I heard it twice screaming for help. If ye put the boat about, by God when I get ashore I'll kill yer, ye lubbers—old man as I am, I'll kill yer, if I want for it."

This determined sentiment produced a marked effect upon the boat's crew; there was a sight of them altogether. They did not put the boat about, they only lay on their oars and kept her head to the seas.

The old man in the bow peered out into the gloom. He was shaking not with cold but with agitation.

Presently he turned his head with a yell. "Give way—give way! there's something on the wave."

The men obeyed with a will. "Back," he roared again—"back water!"

The light from the lantern fell in a pale ring upon the seething water; suddenly something white appeared in the center of this illuminated ring. Edward stared at it. It was floating upward. It vanished and appeared again. It was a woman's face. With a yell he plunged his arms into the sea.

"I have her—lend a hand, lads," he yelled, and the boat answered, but nothing was to be seen.

"She's gone! Oh, God, she's gone!" groaned the old man. "You may put about now, lad, and the Lord's will be done."

Another man scrambled forward, and together they clutched the object in the water. "Look out, don't pull so hard, you fool. Just me if there ain't another, and she's got him by the hair. So, steady, steady!"

By his side, and leaning over him, was Elizabeth, her eldest sister. There were five years between them. She was a poor copy of Beatrice, or, to be more accurate, Beatrice was a grand development of Elizabeth. They both had brown hair, but Elizabeth's was straighter and faint-colored, not rich and ruddy into gold. Elizabeth's eyes were also gray, but it was a cold washed-out gray, like that of a February sky. And so with feature after feature, and with the expression also. Beatrice's was noble and open, if at times defiant. Looking at her you knew that she might be a mistaken woman, or a headstrong woman, or both, but she could never be a mean woman. Which-ever of the two she was, she was the one sister to choose to break it, it would not be that which forbids us to bear false witness against our neighbor. Anybody might read it in her eyes. But in her sister's he might read her father's shifty hardness watered by woman's weaker will into something like cunning. For the rest Elizabeth had a fair figure, but she lacked her sister's rounded loveliness, though the two were so curiously alike that at a distance you might well mistake the one for the other. One might almost fancy that nature had experimented upon Elizabeth before she made up her mind to produce Beatrice, just to get the lines and features of the one sister to see what the other what the pale unfinished model of clay is to the polished statue in ivory and gold.

Long leave from strong arms, and the senseless form of Beatrice was on the gunwale. Then they pulled up Geoffrey beside her, for they could not lose her desperate grip of his dark hair, and together rolled them into the boat.

"They're dead, I doubt," said the second man.

"Help turn 'em on their faces over the seat, so let the water drain from their innards. It's the only chance. Now give me that sail to cover them—so. You'll live yet, Eddard. He saved you, old Eddard and the good God together."

Meanwhile the boat had been got round, and the men were rowing for Bryngelly as warm-hearted sailors will when life is at stake. They all knew Beatrice and loved her, and they knew that if she was dead, the gloom was little hindrance to them for they could almost have navigated the coast blindfolded. Besides here they were sheltered by the reef and shore.

In five minutes they were round a little headland, and the lights of Bryngelly were close before them. On the beach people were moving about with lanterns.

Presently they were there, hanging on their oars for a favorable wave to beach with. At last it came, and they gave way together, running the large boat half out of the surf. A dozen men plunged into the surf and dragged her on. They were safe ashore.

"Have you got Miss Beatrice?" shouted a voice.

"Ay, we've got her and another, too; but I doubt they're gone. Where's doctor?"

"Here, here!" answered a voice. "Bring the stretchers."

A stout, thick-set man who had been listening, wrapped up in a dark cloak, turned his face away and gave a groan. Then he followed the others as they went to work, not offering to help, but merely following.

The stretchers were brought and the two bodies laid upon them, face downward and covered over.

"Where to?" said the bearers as they seized the poles.

"The Vicarage," answered the doctor. "I told them to get things ready there in case they should find her. Run forward one of you and say that we are coming."

The men started at a trot and the crowd ran after them.

"Who is the other?" somebody asked.

"Mr. Bingham—the tall lawyer who came down from London the other day. Tell policeman—run to his wife. She's at Mrs. Jones', and thinks he has lost his way coming home from Bell Rock."

Accordingly the policeman departed on his melancholy errand, and the procession moved swiftly across the sandy beach and up the stone-paved way by which boats were dragged down the cliff to the sea. The village of Bryngelly lay to the right. It had grown away from the church, which stood dangerously near the edge of the cliff. On the further side of the church, and a little behind it, partly sheltered from the sea gales by a group of stunted firs, was the vicarage, a low, single-story, stone-roofed building, tenanted for twenty years past and more by Beatrice's father, the Rev. Joseph Granger. The best approach to it from the Bryngelly side was by the church-yard, through which the men with the stretchers were now wading, followed by the crowd of sightseers.

"Might as well leave them here at once," said one of the bearers to the other in Welsh. "I doubt they are both dead enough."

The person addressed assented, and the thick-set man wrapped in the dark cloak, who was striding along by Beatrice's stretcher, groaned again. Clearly, he understood the Welsh tongue. A few seconds more and they were passing through the stunted firs up to the vicarage door. In the doorway stood a group of people. The light from a lamp in the hall struck upon them, throwing them into strong relief, and holding a lantern in his hand, was a man of about 60, with snow-

some five paces, it terminated in another which ran at right angles to it for the entire length of the house. On the further side of this passage were several bedroom doors, and a room at each end. That at the end of the right was occupied by Beatrice and her sister, the next was empty, the third was Mr. Granger's, and the fourth the spare room. This, with the exception of the Turkish and Persian sleeping places, which were beyond the dining-room, made up the house.

Fires had been lit in both the sitting-rooms. Geoffrey was taken into the dining-room and attended by the doctor's assistant and Beatrice into the sitting-room and attended by the doctor himself. In the sitting-rooms had been cleared of all except the helpers, and the work began. The doctor looked at Beatrice's cold shrunken form and at the foam upon her lips. He lifted the eyelids and held a light before the contracted pupil. Then he shook his head and set to work with a will. We need not follow him through the course of his dreadful labors, with which most people will have some acquaintance. Hopeless as they seemed he continued them for hour after hour.

Meanwhile the assistant and some helpers were doing the same service for Geoffrey Bingham, the doctor himself, a thin, clever-looking man, occasionally holding a lantern in his hand, was a man of about 60, with snow-



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white hair, which fell in confusion over his forehead. He was of middle height and carried himself with something of a stoop. His eyes were small and shifty, and the mouth hard. He wore short whiskers which, though with the eyebrows, were still tinged with yellow. The face was ruddy and healthy looking; indeed, had it not been for the dirty white and shabby black coat, one would have taken him for what he was, a farmer of the farmstead sort, somewhat weather-beaten and anxious about the times—a man who would take advantage of every drop in the rate of wages. In fact he was Beatrice's father and a clergyman.

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Fires had been lit in both the sitting-rooms. Geoffrey was taken into the dining-room and attended by the doctor's assistant and Beatrice

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greatest danger to be feared is in congestion of the lungs, bronchitis and pneumonia. I prescribe quinine, salicylate of soda, also ephyrine with caution. Usually spray the

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tening of brain.

Tíkob das no olômbos ionedumo; I think that it will not rain longer.
 Kíni tíkoi tefi atos? What do you think about this?
 Tíkob áe oi: das no olômbos umo adelo; I think like you: that it will not rain more to-day.

proceeding on the part of his female relatives,
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